

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 2359 - SB 2215

March 23, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Adds a definition of “sausage” to the Tennessee Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act. Requires that sausage sold in any amount greater than one pound be frozen. Violation is punishable as a Class C misdemeanor.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Revenue - Not Significant
Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant**

**Increase Local Revenue – Not Significant
Increase Local Expenditures – Not Significant**

Assumption:

- A small increase in cases in the court system, which will result in additional state and local government expenditures for processing the cases and additional state and local government revenue from fees, taxes and costs collected. These expenditures and revenue are estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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